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and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable)

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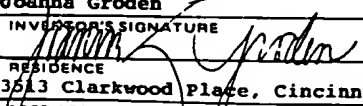
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ASSERTION OF ENTITLEMENT TO  
SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 CFR §1.27

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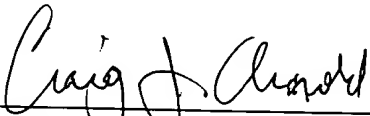
Sir:

The undersigned hereby asserts that New York Blood Center, Inc., Assignee of the above-identified application, is entitled to small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR §1.27.

Respectfully submitted,

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